

HOUSE BILL 7044

By Slater

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,  
relative to school transportation.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2008, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

In order to maintain safety on school buses, each LEA shall post a notice in a conspicuous place on each school bus in operation by the LEA to notify others that no person shall enter onto school buses except for those authorized pursuant to subsection (a). The notice must include appropriate contact information in case of an issue on the school bus.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2107(g), is amended by adding "procedures concerning persons improperly on school buses pursuant to § 49-6-2008," after "mirror usage,".

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-6-2116(b), is amended by adding the following to the end of the subsection:

The annual training and management training program must include procedures concerning persons improperly on school buses pursuant to § 49-6-2008.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect January 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.